

RI TRANSITION COUNCIL
April 12, 2017 2:00 – 4:00 PM Minutes
Rhode Island Parent Information Network
1210 Pontiac Avenue
Cranston, RI 02920

(Minutes in Red)

Attendance: K. Collins, D. Kriner, C. Rosenbaum, M. Fields, L. Dipina, C. VanAvery, A. Stone, B. Mulligan, D. Garneau, S. Hayward, S. Cornell, K. Carson, J. Slade

Agenda

2:00 Welcome & Introductions

2:05 Updates to the State Plan- (complete)

- All middle school cohort activities complete; follow-up needed for final task
- Employment First Task Force- fact sheet in draft form
- CDP has been implemented in adult system
- Employment First Info. has been incorporated into RI DOH healthcare transition information to families and youth. DG to get us the information on who DOH presented to.
- Constant Contact system through RIPIN has assisted in getting information out regarding Employment First to students and families.
- Interagency goal coordination related to mental health and behavioral health resources will continue into next state plan- challenge continues to remain with known resources and stakeholders. Additional updates to be provided at final meeting.
- Two tasks under the Family Engagement goal will continue in the next state plan.

2:30 Regional Transition Center/Headlines Upcoming Events (updates)

- Agency Updates:
 - BHDDH- Work Inc.- new employment vendor will be providing supported employment services; BHDDH conducting training in collaboration with DCYF- more info. to come.
 - DOH- DG explained the information available through the medical home portal and a potential resource for information sharing beginning in September 2017.
 - Dare to Dream- currently 530 registered- 18 different workshops- still need volunteers.
 - College Forum debrief- successful! 63 participants- discussion on how to promote differently next year to increase participation
 - May- Mental Health month- please share information
 - Sherlock Center- FEAT Training information shared- May 13, 2017

3:45 Public Comment- None

4:00 Meeting Adjourn